Adopted Rejected

## **COMMITTEE REPORT**

YES: 10 NO: 0

## MR. SPEAKER:

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Your Committee on <u>Education</u>, to which was referred <u>Senate Bill 292</u>, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

Page 2, between lines 2 and 3, begin a new paragraph and insert:

"SECTION 2. IC 20-8.1-2-3 IS AMENDED TO READ AS

- FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2002]: Sec. 3. Segregation
  Prohibited, Generally. (a) Neither the governing body of any school
  corporation nor the board of trustees of any college or university shall
  build or erect, establish, maintain, continue or permit any segregated
  or separate public kindergartens, public schools or districts, public
  school departments or divisions, or colleges or universities on the basis
  of race, color, creed or national origin of pupils or students. These
- officials may take any affirmative actions that are reasonable, feasible,
- and practical to effect greater integration and to reduce or prevent
- segregation or separation of races in public schools for whatever cause.
- These actions may include, but are not limited to, site selection,
- 14 revision of school districts, curricula, or enrollment policies to

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1	implement equalization of educational opportunity for all.
2	(b) A school corporation shall review the school corporation's
3	programs to determine if the school corporation's practices of:
4	(1) separating students by ability;
5	(2) placing students into educational tracks; or
6	(3) using test results to screen students;
7	have the effect of systematically separating students by race, color,
8	creed, national origin, or socioeconomic class.".
9	Page 2, line 24, delete "programs provided" and insert "program
10	established".
11	Renumber all SECTIONS consecutively.
	(Reference is to SB 292 as printed January 18, 2002.)
and when so amended that said bill do pass.	

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Representative Porter